

2005 Healthiest Counties

	2005			2005	
	%	%	%	Total	
	Physically	Over-	Current	Health	2005
	Inactive	weight or Obese	Smoker	Score	Rank
Total State Figures	26.3	64.5	22.5	113.3	
Beaufort	18	62.3	15.4	95.7	1
Richland	21.2	60.2	19	100.4	2
Greenville	22.6	58.2	21	101.8	3
Abbeville	24.9	55.9	21.8	102.6	4
Charleston	24.5	59.3	19.7	103.5	5
Jasper	25.7	59.4	20.3	105.4	6
York	19.5	62.5	24	106	7
Newberry	22.9	62.6	22.4	107.9	8
Hampton	26.2	61.6	21.4	109.2	9
Lexington	18.1	68.5	22.6	109.2	10
Colleton	26.1	62.3	21.5	109.9	11
Calhoun	23.1	65	22.2	110.3	12
Fairfield	24	63.4	23.3	110.7	13
McCormick	24.5	64.5	24.1	113.1	14
Lancaster	24.2	62.5	26.6	113.3	15
Horry	22.1	61.9	29.7	113.7	16
Lee	26.8	63.5	23.5	113.8	17
Barnwell	22.8	67.9	23.3	114	18
Georgetown	24.9	64.2	25.3	114.4	19
Anderson	22.4	70.3	22	114.7	20
Spartanburg	28	63.7	23.2	114.7	21
Dorchester	22.7	69.8	23.1	115.6	22
Chester	25.6	65.6	24.9	116.1	23
Kershaw	24.4	69	23.2	116.6	24
Saluda	24.2	67.5	24.9	116.6	25
Berkeley	23.6	70.2	23.5	117.3	26
Greenwood	30.4	62.8	24.2	117.3	27
Aiken	29.1	66.1	24.4	119.6	28
Oconee	21.6	71.2	27.4	120.2	29
Williamsburg	29.7	68.1	22.5	120.2	30
Darlington	27.2	66.1	28.3	120.3	31
Dillon	28.8	66	27	121.8	32
Pickens	25.1	68.6	28.9	121.6	33
Union	26.7	72.4	24.1	123.2	34
Chesterfield	29.1	65.8	28.9	123.8	35
Bamberg	31.4	68.6	24.1	123.6	36
Marlboro	32.1	65.1	27.1		
Edgefield	31.2	68.6	24.7	124.3 124.5	37 38
Sumter	30.3	68.1	26.1		
Cherokee	25.5	75.6	24.2	124.5	39
Marion	27.5	73.8	25.6	125.3	40
Allendale	36		25.1	126.9	41
		66.8		127.9	42
Florence Clarendon	38.1	63.1	27.9	129.1	43
	29.9 38.1	75.3	25	130.2	44
Orangeburg		70.7	25.8	134.6	45
Laurens	39	83	22.5	144.5	46

Source: SC BRFSS, DHEC, County Specific data. The South Carolina Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System (BRFSS) is a cross-sectional telephone survey conducted by the Department of Health and Environmental Control (DHEC) with technical and methodologic assistance provided by CDC. This monthly telephone surveillance uses a standardized questionnaire to determine the distribution of risk behaviors and health practices among adults. Responses are forwarded to CDC, where the monthly data are aggregated for each state, returned with standard tabulations, and published at the year's end by each state. For more information visit http://www.cdc.gov/brfss/pages. Since BRFSS was designed to collect state-level data, any generated county level information is subject to variability over time. Thus, caution should be used in interpreting any county-level estimates.